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Ms. Renata Hesse, Anti-Trust Division  
U.S. Department of Justice  
601 D Street Northwest  
Suite 1200  
Washington, DC 20530

Dear Ms. Hesse:

I am writing to you to express my feelings regarding the lawsuit filed against Microsoft by Janet Reno. I understand that the Bush administration has proposed a settlement that has been agreed to by Microsoft and several of the states involved in the lawsuit.

I want to add my voice to those who believe it is time to put this lawsuit to bed. It is draining valuable resources from government coffers and unnecessarily burdening one of America's leading technology companies. I urge you to approve the settlement proposed by the Bush administration.

Sincerely,

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